United States District Court Southern District of Texas

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July 05, 2018
David J. Bradlev, Clerk

## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

: Civil Action No. 4:15-cv-2767

VS.

ELDRICK E. WOODLEY D/B/A WOODLEY & CO. WEALTH STRATEGIES,

Defendant.

## FINAL JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT AS TO DEFENDANT ELDRICK E. WOODLEY D/B/A/ WOODLEY & CO. WEALTH STRATEGIES

Plaintiff Securities and Exchange Commission ("Plaintiff" or the "Commission") filed a Complaint ("Complaint") in this action, Defendant Eldrick E. Woodley d/b/a Woodley & Co. Wealth Strategies ("Defendant") failed to answer or to otherwise defend itself, and the District Clerk entered default against Defendant. Thereafter, the Commission filed a Motion for Final Judgment by Default against Defendant, which the Court granted. Therefore:

I.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT Defendant is permanently restrained and enjoined from violating Sections 206(1) and 206(2) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 ("Advisers Act") [15 U.S.C. §§ 80b-6(1) and 80b-6(2)] by use of the mails or any means or instrumentality of interstate commerce, directly or indirectly, to:

(a) employ any device, scheme, or artifice to defraud any client or prospective client; and

(b) engage in any transaction, practice, or course of business which operates as a fraud or deceit upon any client or prospective client.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that, as provided in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65(d)(2), the foregoing paragraph also binds the following who receive actual notice of this Final Judgment by personal service or otherwise: (a) Defendant's officers, agents, servants, employees, and attorneys; and (b) other persons in active concert or participation with Defendant or with anyone described in (a).

П.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Defendant is liable for disgorgement of \$147,023.39, representing profits gained as a result of the conduct alleged in the Complaint, together with prejudgment interest thereon in the amount of \$22,549.47, and a civil penalty in the amount of \$1,000,000.00 pursuant to Section 209(e) of the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 [15 U.S.C. § 80b-9(e)]. Defendant shall satisfy this obligation by paying \$1,169,572.86 to the Securities and Exchange Commission within 14 days after entry of this Final Judgment.

Defendant may transmit payment electronically to the Commission, which will provide detailed ACH transfer/Fedwire instructions upon request. Payment may also be made directly from a bank account via Pay.gov through the SEC website at <a href="http://www.sec.gov/about/offices/ofm.htm">http://www.sec.gov/about/offices/ofm.htm</a>. Defendant may also pay by certified check, bank cashier's check, or United States postal money order payable to the Securities and Exchange Commission, which shall be delivered or mailed to

Enterprise Services Center Accounts Receivable Branch 6500 South MacArthur Boulevard Oklahoma City, OK 73169

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and shall be accompanied by a letter identifying the case title, civil action number, and name of this Court; Eldrick E. Woodley d/b/a Woodley & Co. Wealth Strategies as a defendant in this action; and specifying that payment is made pursuant to this Final Judgment.

Defendant shall simultaneously transmit photocopies of evidence of payment and case identifying information to the Commission's counsel in this action. By making this payment, Defendant relinquishes all legal and equitable right, title, and interest in such funds and no part of the funds shall be returned to Defendant. The Commission shall send the funds paid pursuant to this Final Judgment to the United States Treasury.

The Commission may enforce the Court's judgment for disgorgement and prejudgment interest by moving for civil contempt (and/or through other collection procedures authorized by law) at any time after 14 days following entry of this Final Judgment. Defendant shall pay post judgment interest on any delinquent amounts pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1961.

III.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that, solely for purposes of exceptions to discharge set forth in Section 523 of the Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. § 523, the allegations in the complaint are true and admitted by Defendant, and further, any debt for disgorgement, prejudgment interest, civil penalty or other amounts due by Defendant under this Final Judgment or any other judgment, order, consent order, decree or settlement agreement entered in connection with this proceeding, is a debt for the violation by Defendant of the federal securities laws or any regulation or order issued under such laws, as set forth in Section 523(a)(19) of the Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. § 523(a)(19).

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IV.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that this Court shall retain jurisdiction of this matter for the purposes of enforcing the terms of this Final Judgment.

SO ORDERED this 5th day of July, 2018, at Houston, Texas.

KEITH P. ELLISON UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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